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Arrest in Car Break In, Suspect was Out on Bail for Similar Crime

On April 30, 2022, at approximately 11:40 AM, Manchester Police Officers patrolling in the area of Valley St and Taylor St recognized a man suspected of breaking into a vehicle. The man had been captured on video surveillance the previous day.

The officers parked their cruiser near the man and got out. As they approached, the man threw a small plastic bag behind him. Officers were able to take the man, identified as 40-year-old John Keeley of Manchester (no fixed address) into custody. Keeley was found to have multiple stolen checks on him and the bag that officers saw him throw was determined to contain crack cocaine.

At the time of his arrest, Keeley was out on PR bail from an April 10th arrest. In that incident Keeley had been seen rummaging through a car and was charged with Receiving Stolen Property.

In this recent matter, Keeley was charged with Possession of a Controlled Drug, Falsifying Physical Evidence, and Theft or Lost of Mislaid Property. He was released on PR bail.



